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MEMBERSHIP DUES: Membership dues in The Canadian Association of Wooden Money Collectors is \$3.00 per calendar year. If you have not paid your 1978 dues, or wish to join CAWMC please send your dues to the Secretary-Treasurer:

Bruce Watt 1153 Northridge Street Oshawa, Ontario IlG 3P3

VANCOUVER: After four weeks in Vancouver I am slowly getting back into the routine. Thanks to all who have submitted articles, new wood, etc. for printing in Timber Talk. It will be printed as space permits.

NEW YEARS GREETING FROM OUR PRESIDENT: (This should have been printed in the last issue, but because it was mailed out two weeks ahead of schedule before I went to Vancouver it was received before I left. ed.)

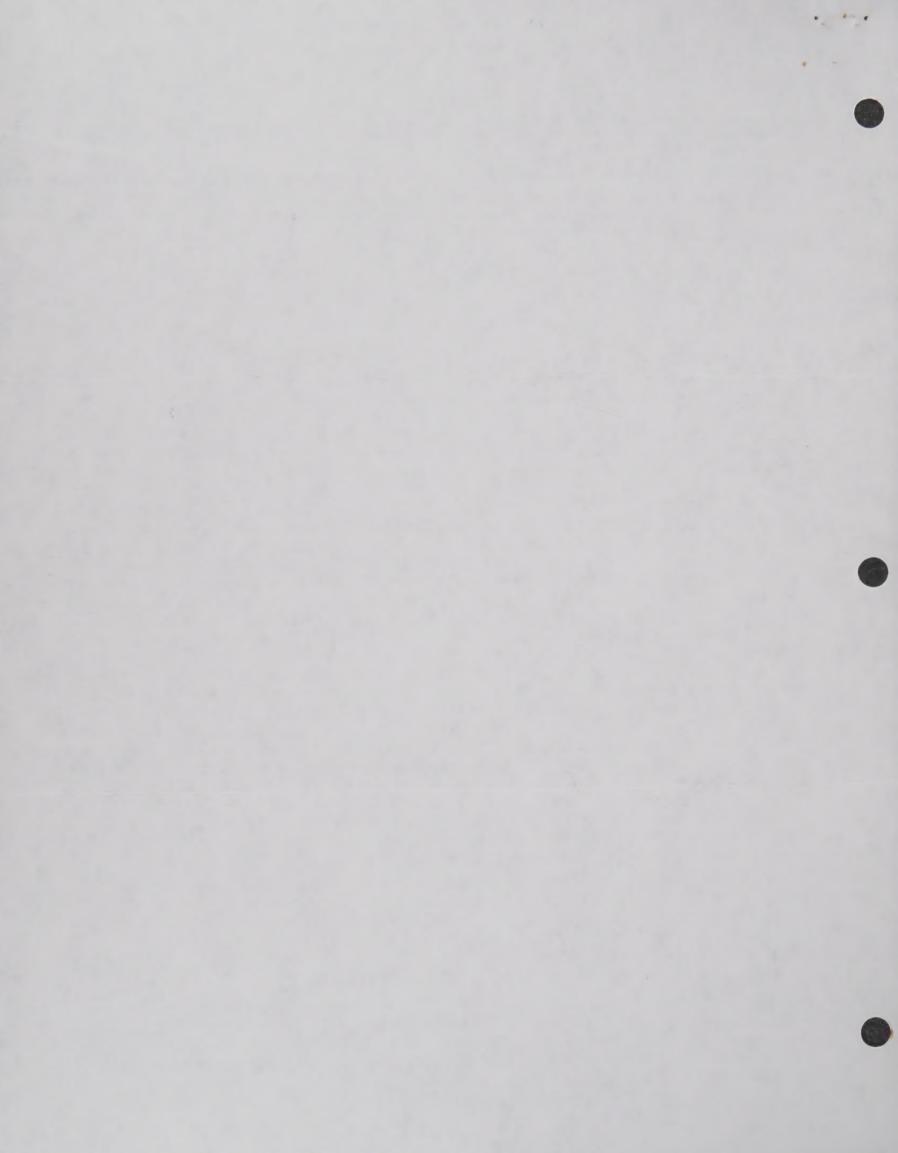
A Happy New Years Message From Your President:

Happy New Year to all collectors of wooden money. I sincerely hope that 1978 will bring all of you tidings of great joy and be your best year yet in collecting wood. 1978 in London will be a great year for me as the London Numismatic Society will be host club for the annual convention of the CNA. I am already planning for members to attend and see the biggest collection of wooden money ever assembled in Canada. If my plans are successful this gathering will be a milestone for CAWMC. Another milestone in our club was reached last December with the publication of Canadian Wooden Money, an illustrated book of 230 pages complied by Norm Wells of Peterborough. The other milestone reached last year was the numbering system for Canadian wood issues compiled by John Curtis of Willowdale (Toronto). These gentlemen, along with the help of others, deserve a big handshake from all of us as their effort was oringinal in thought - there is no other book listing issues by number or illustrations. For the advice of all members, bear in mind that when displaying wooden nickels that the Canadian Large Cent Club issues are not Canadian issues to be used in a display of Canadian wood. They are U. S. woods, Canada oriented. I might say at this time that Gary Littrell also made a fine contribution in producing this set, and I personally am very happy to have an American member dedicated to the hobby to the extent of designing and producing these wooden gems.

For your information the CNA 1978 Convention will be held at the Holiday Inn, 299 King St., London, Ontario. I am advising my poor friends to stay at the Park Lane Hotel, 186 King St. and \$10.00 per night cheaper. It was redecorated six months ago by the same firm that did the Four Seasons in Montreal and the rooms are right. More news next month.

Sincerely, Vic Hall

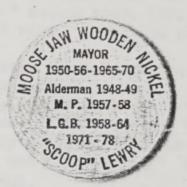
FOR SALE: Spruce Dollar # 76 - Pontiac Cup Races 1972 \$3.00 each pp. from: Mark Mogen - 3715 Unity Place N. W. - Calgary, Alberta. Mark also has a few of the wooden nickels issued to commemmorate the 25th Wedding Anniversary of his parents (# 8140-28) at 3-\$1.00 postpaid.



ENCLOSED WOOD: Our thanks to "Scoop" Lowry of 1161 3rd Avenue N. W., Moose Jaw, Saskatchewan S6H 3Vl for the wood, pictured below, that he donated to CAWMC for distribution to all members. Extras are available at 25¢ each + SASE from Scoop at the above address. The explanation of the wood as sent by Scoop:

The wooden nickel depicts my 30 years in public service, starting in 1948 as Alderman of the City of Moose Jaw; Mayor from 1950-56 and again from 1965-1970; also Member of Parliament 1957-58; and a member of the Local Government Board (Municipal Board) from 1958-64 and from 1971 to present. I got the nickname "Scoop" from my 15 years of work as newspaper and radio reporter prior to political career.





PETERBOROUGH WOOD: Norm Wells of P. O. Box 943 - Peterborough, Ontario K9J 7A5 advises that they have received their wood for the Coin Show to be held at the Holiday Inn on May 13, 1978 hosted by the Peterborough Numismatic Association. The cost is 25¢ each or 5 - \$1.00 plus SASE from Norm. They are printed in blue so the picture below may not be too clear.





MORE NEW WOOD:

(1) John M. Brennan of 186 Pleasent Park Road, Ottawa, Ontario KIH 5M5 will send you his personal wood free to anyone sending him a SASE. (As a gesture though you may send him a Canadian wood in exchange.)

2) Pierre and Margaret Trudeau - Married 1972 - Separated 1977 wood is available from Basil Latham - P. O. Box 503 - Adelaide St. P. O. - Toronto, Ontario

for 25¢ each or 5 - \$1.00 plus SASE.









CORRECTIONS: The next two pages contain corrections to Norm Wells book Canadian Wooden Money and Tokens (which is still available from Norm at - P. O. Box 943, Peterborough, Ontario K9J 7A5 for \$7.50 postpaid).

Canadian Wooden Money, Tokens and Souvenirs

Issue No. 1.

Corrected - OBVERSES & REVERSES

As happens in new books Etc. some errors do creep in, and so will try and correct a few as they come to light. Complete new pages 103 and 104 have been issued and sent to most holders of the early copies of book. If you do not have yours as yet copies will be mailed soon.

Now some instructions for inserting corrected Obverses & Reverses shown below. lst. - get a roll of "Sticky on Both Sides "Scotch tape. Cdn. Tire or Shoppers Drug Mart generally have it. Cat No. 136, 2" wide. 1 roll is plenty.

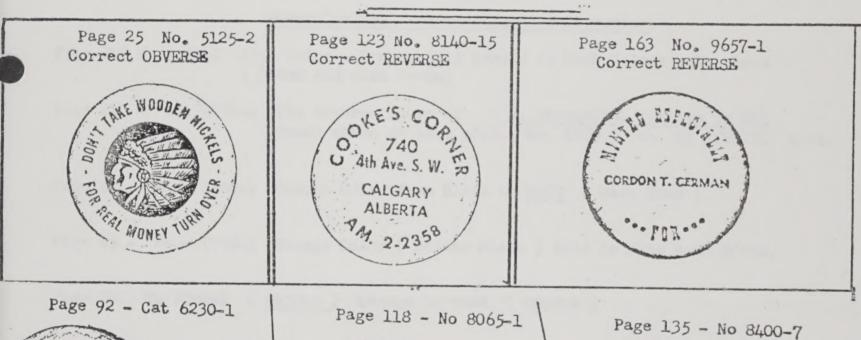
2nd. - Cut out photo shown below, not necessary to cut right on the edge of Photo, leave 1/16" or 1/8" around, it won't show when stuck in book.

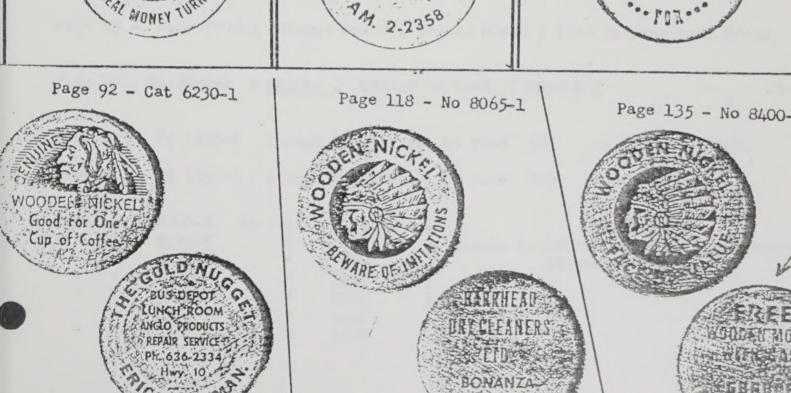
3rd. - Next get a small piece of Waxed paper approx 2" x 3"

4th. - Cut off piece of the Sticky Tape, (and it is sticky) so instead of tearing it off the roll, better results are by using Scissors to cut it off. Now you only need about ½" square of it, and place this ½" in centre of the BACKSIDE of photo you have just cut out.

5th. - Place the piece of Wax paper over old Photo in book, Next place the New photo with the sticky tape on it, in place, and centre over old photo, then

slide Wax Paper out, and press into place. O.K. Good Luck.





DELETIONS

Please Delete Completely. (This is an Unofficial) Page 23 - No. 5085-1 This is not Canadian But ATWOOD Illinois U S A. (Reverse shown here is actually the OBVERSE and original Reverse is - Alpha Cheese Co. Cheddar & Italian Cheese. Color is black. (Thanks to Tom Hudson)

Page 36 - No 5400-2 Please Delete. This shown also on page - 74 No. 5900-19 Which is Correct.

Page 116 - No. 7881-1 Please delete entirely. --- Refer to Page 107 No. 7700-1

Page 117 - No. 7958 -1 Please Delete entirely. This was in Error.

Minor Changes and additional Information

Page 2&3 No 2000-1 Add Color - Brown, this issued in both Colors both sides (Black and also Brown)

Page 21 - No. 4770-4 The Reverse shown of - A. Choquette, applies to all woods shown on this page, No. 4770-3 to No 4770-7. Incl.

Page 62 - No - 5760-1 Change Color from Black to BLUE (Dark Blue)

Page 85 - No - 5908-1 Change Color (Delete Black) this is Blue Both Sides.

Page 101- No 7080-1 (8450-A) Change to read (8050-A)

Page 10 - No 3350-2 Change No. Issued to read 500 (Geoff Bell

Page 11 - No 3350-6 Change No. Issued to read 2000

Page 131 - 8300-2 No issued 724 132 8300-5 500 Thanks to Gabriel A. Grams, Secretary 10 8300-7 500 Edmonton Coin Club. 8300-8 11 1000 8300-9 1000 8300-10 1000 8300-11 1000